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MSHA	Pete Hess	Environmental Scientist III
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Inspection Report

Permit Number:	C0410002
Inspection Type:	COMPLETE
Inspection Date:	Monday, September 18, 2006
Start Date/Time:	9/18/2006 9:15:00 AM
End Date/Time:	9/18/2006 1:50:00 PM
Last Inspection:	Tuesday, August 29, 2006

Inspector: Pete Hess, Environmental Scientist III

Weather: Sunny, cold; temperature close to freezing.

InspectionID Report Number: 1074

Accepted by: whedberg
9/29/2006

Permittee: **CANYON FUEL COMPANY LLC**

Operator: **CANYON FUEL COMPANY LLC**

Site: **SUFCO MINE**

Address: **397 S 800 W, SALINA UT 84654**

County: **SEVIER**

Permit Type: **PERMANENT COAL PROGRAM**

Permit Status: **ACTIVE**

Current Acreages

26,766.95	Total Permitted
27.36	Total Disturbed
	Phase I
	Phase II
	Phase III

Mineral Ownership

- ☒ Federal
☒ State
☐ County
☐ Fee
☐ Other

Types of Operations

- ☒ Underground
☐ Surface
☐ Loadout
☐ Processing
☐ Reprocessing

Report summary and status for pending enforcement actions, permit conditions, Division Orders, and amendments:

The Permittee continues to meet the Special Permit Condition included as Attachment "A" of the current State permit, which requires the quarterly submittal of surface and ground water monitoring data in an electronic form to the Division web site.

Inspector's Signature: _____

Pete Hess

Pete Hess, Environmental Scientist III

Inspector ID Number: 46

Date: Tuesday, September 19, 2006

Note: This inspection report does not constitute an affidavit of compliance with the regulatory program of the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining.

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Inspection Continuation Sheet

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REVIEW OF PERMIT, PERFORMANCE STANDARDS PERMIT CONDITION REQUIREMENTS

1. Substantiate the elements on this inspection by checking the appropriate performance standard.
 - a. For COMPLETE inspections provide narrative justification for any elements not fully inspected unless element is not appropriate to the site, in which case check Not Applicable.
 - b. For PARTIAL inspections check only the elements evaluated.
2. Document any noncompliance situation by reference the NOV issued at the appropriate performance standard listed below.
3. Reference any narratives written in conjunction with this inspection at the appropriate performance standard listed below.
4. Provide a brief status report for all pending enforcement actions, permit conditions, Division Orders, and amendments.

	Evaluated	Not Applicable	Comment	Enforcement
1. Permits, Change, Transfer, Renewal, Sale	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Signs and Markers	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Topsoil	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4.a Hydrologic Balance: Diversions	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4.b Hydrologic Balance: Sediment Ponds and Impoundments	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4.c Hydrologic Balance: Other Sediment Control Measures	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4.d Hydrologic Balance: Water Monitoring	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4.e Hydrologic Balance: Effluent Limitations	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Explosives	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Disposal of Excess Spoil, Fills, Benches	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Coal Mine Waste, Refuse Piles, Impoundments	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. Noncoal Waste	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9. Protection of Fish, Wildlife and Related Environmental Issues	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10. Slides and Other Damage	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11. Contemporaneous Reclamation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
12. Backfilling And Grading	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
13. Revegetation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
14. Subsidence Control	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
15. Cessation of Operations	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
16.a Roads: Construction, Maintenance, Surfacing	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
16.b Roads: Drainage Controls	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
17. Other Transportation Facilities	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
18. Support Facilities, Utility Installations	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
19. AVS Check	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
20. Air Quality Permit	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
21. Bonding and Insurance	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
22. Other	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

4.b Hydrologic Balance: Sediment Ponds and Impoundments

The second quarter impoundment inspections for the mine site and waste rock sediment ponds were conducted by Mr. Davis on June 29, 2006. There were no signs of instability or other hazards noted during the Permittee's inspections of those impoundments. The Mine site pond was cleaned during July. To date, the Permittee has not completed the third quarter inspections for either pond; as such, the re-certification of the Mine site pond has not been completed.

4.d Hydrologic Balance: Water Monitoring

The Permittee was inserting water monitoring data into the database at the start of today's inspection. The Permittee notified the Division on September 19, 2006 that the successful uploading of the second quarter 2006 surface and ground water monitoring information had been completed to the Division EDI.

5. Explosives

The Permittee has not recently conducted any surface blasting.

7. Coal Mine Waste, Refuse Piles, Impoundments

The piles on the active lift at the waste rock site have recently been leveled. The current lift only has a small amount of capacity remaining. Mr. Davis anticipates that the construction of the new lift will more than likely need to take place in the spring of 2007 when the ground dries out. The second quarter waste rock pile inspection was conducted by Mr. Davis on June 29, 2006 and certified by Mr. John Byars, P.E. on the same day.

16.a Roads: Construction, Maintenance, Surfacing

Mr. Davis informed the Division this day that aerial survey markers have been installed along the selected route for the Quitcupah road. A meeting with the Sevier County road department for planning purposes is to be held soon. A flyover must be completed before any designs can be developed.

18. Support Facilities, Utility Installations

The Permittee is making preparations to enlarge the pad area associated with the electrical substation.